

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

Claims 1-8 are canceled.

9. (New) An electrical equipment unit protection device comprising:
- an electrical equipment unit includes a plurality of function portions connected together by wires and a design portion attached to said function portions;
- an electrical unit holder including;
- retaining portions for respectively releasably retaining said function portions; and
- an interconnecting portion interconnecting the adjacent retaining portions, and when said electrical equipment unit is to be mounted in an electrical equipment-mounting window formed in an interior wall member, said unit holder holds the adjacent function portions spaced a predetermined distance from each other by said retaining portions and said interconnecting portion.
10. (New) An electrical equipment unit protection device according to claim 9, wherein said interconnecting portion has elasticity.
11. (New) An electrical equipment unit protection device as claimed in claim 9, wherein said electrical equipment unit is a lamp unit having bulbs provided respectively at said function portions, and bulb covers for respectively protecting said bulbs are formed respectively at said retaining portions in juxtaposed relation thereto.
12. (New) An electrical equipment unit protection device as claimed in claim 10, wherein said electrical equipment unit is a lamp unit having bulbs provided respectively at said function

portions, and bulb covers for respectively protecting said bulbs are formed respectively at said retaining portions in juxtaposed relation thereto.

13. (New) An electrical equipment unit protection device according to claim 11, wherein that said bulb covers open toward a side opposite to a side for mounting said wire through said interior wall member.

14. (New) An electrical equipment unit protection device according to claim 12, wherein that said bulb covers open toward a side opposite to a side for mounting said wire through said interior wall member.

15. (New) An electrical equipment unit protection device according to claim 13, wherein said function portion has a guide portion at a bulb mounting portion, said bulb cover opens along said guide portion.

16. (New) An electrical equipment unit protection device according to claim 14, wherein said function portion has a guide portion at a bulb mounting portion, said bulb cover opens along said guide portion.

17. (New) An electrical equipment unit holder comprising:

Retaining portions for respectively releasably retaining function portions of the electrical unit connected together by wires;

Interconnecting portion for interconnecting the adjacent retaining portions, said retaining portions and said interconnecting portion holding the adjacent function portions spaced a predetermined distance from each other.

18. (New) An electrical equipment unit holder according to claim 17, wherein said interconnecting portion has elasticity.

19. (New) An electrical equipment unit holder as claimed in claims 17, wherein said retaining portion has bulb cover for protecting a bulb.

20. (New) An electrical equipment unit holder as claimed in claim 18, wherein said retaining portion has bulb cover for protecting a bulb.